

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Gene Harlow Johnson et al.  
Serial No. : 10/031,091  
Filed : January 15, 2002  
For : Method and Apparatus for Performing a Channel Search in a  
Television  
Examiner : Sumaiya A. Chowdhury  
Art Unit : 2421  
Customer No. : 24498

**Amendment**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir,

In response to the Office Action dated August 31, 2010, for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending November 30, 2010, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

No fee is believed due. However, if a fee is due, please charge the fee to Deposit Account 07-0832.

The Applicants submit that this response is timely.

**Listing/Amendments of the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.